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In re Patent Application of:  
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
SCHEDULING AVAILABLE LINK  
BANDWIDTH BETWEEN PACKET-  
SWITCHED DATA FLOWS

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Examiner: T. H. Vu

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated November 07, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.